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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

In re application of: Harland D. Couillard	Serial No.: 10/822,588
	Filed: April 12, 2004
Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR REMOVING FORMING ELEMENTS FROM CONCRETE PIPE	

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Sir:

In response to the final Office Action mailed March 31, 2006, please amend the
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